

HOUSE BILL No. 1383

DIGEST OF INTRODUCED BILL

Citations Affected: IC 20-28-9-2.5.

Synopsis: Teacher salary supplement. Requires a school corporation to pay a supplement to a teacher who obtains a master's degree in a content area directly related to the subject matter of a course taught by the teacher: (1) of \$1,500 during the school year that begins after the teacher earns the master's degree; and (2) of \$1,000 each year thereafter if the teacher teaches at least one dual credit course during the school year.

Effective: July 1, 2016.

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January 13, 2016, read first time and referred to Committee on Education.



Second Regular Session of the 119th General Assembly (2016)

PRINTING CODE. Amendments: Whenever an existing statute (or a section of the Indiana Constitution) is being amended, the text of the existing provision will appear in this style type, additions will appear in **this style type**, and deletions will appear in ~~this style type~~.

Additions: Whenever a new statutory provision is being enacted (or a new constitutional provision adopted), the text of the new provision will appear in **this style type**. Also, the word **NEW** will appear in that style type in the introductory clause of each SECTION that adds a new provision to the Indiana Code or the Indiana Constitution.

Conflict reconciliation: Text in a statute in *this style type* or ~~this style type~~ reconciles conflicts between statutes enacted by the 2015 Regular Session of the General Assembly.

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A BILL FOR AN ACT to amend the Indiana Code concerning education.

Be it enacted by the General Assembly of the State of Indiana:

1 SECTION 1. IC 20-28-9-2.5 IS ADDED TO THE INDIANA CODE
2 AS A **NEW** SECTION TO READ AS FOLLOWS [EFFECTIVE JULY
3 1, 2016]: **Sec. 2.5. (a) This section applies to a teacher who obtains**
4 **a master's degree after June 30, 2016.**
5 **(b) If a teacher obtains a master's degree from an accredited**
6 **postsecondary educational institution:**
7 **(1) in a content area directly related to the subject matter of**
8 **a course taught by the teacher; and**
9 **(2) with a cumulative grade point average of at least 3.0 on a**
10 **4.0 point scale;**
11 **the school corporation at which the teacher is employed shall pay**
12 **the teacher a supplement of one thousand five hundred dollars**
13 **(\$1,500), during the school year that begins immediately following**
14 **the date on which the teacher earns the master's degree. Each**
15 **school year thereafter the school corporation shall pay the teacher**
16 **a supplement of one thousand dollars (\$1,000) if the teacher**
17 **teaches at least one (1) dual credit course during the school year.**



1 **A supplement paid to a teacher under this subsection is in addition**
2 **to an increase provided in section 1.5(b) of this chapter.**

